

**MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & SENIOR SERVICES
GENOMICS AND NEWBORN HEALTH**

METABOLIC FORMULA DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM

The Metabolic Formula Distribution Program provides financial assistance to Missouri residents who meet the financial and medical eligibility criteria of the program. If you are not financially eligible for the program, service coordination is available to help you find providers of service for your condition.

Eligibility:

Medical eligibility is documented with a written diagnosis of one of the following conditions:

- [Phenylketonuria \(PKU\)](#)
- [Maple Syrup Urine Disease \(MSUD\)](#)
- Other conditions approved by the Missouri Genetic Advisory Committee

Financial eligibility guidelines are based on the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Poverty Income Guidelines at, or below 185%, with an adjustment made by adding two (2) to the total number in the family. All third party payors must be utilized before Genomics and Newborn Health (GNH) will consider reimbursement. The GNH is the payor of last resort. Applicants and program clients must apply for Medicaid benefits or medical assistance and complete the application process to obtain or maintain program eligibility. Please see the following website for the listing of the Missouri Department of Social Services, Family Support Division county office locations: <http://www.dss.mo.gov/fsd/office/>

Program Services:

- The GNH will provide financial assistance to program participants for the purchase of metabolic formula. Prescriptions for formula must be filled at a pharmacy currently contracted with the MO Department of Health & Senior Services.
- The GNH will provide financial assistance for an annual examination from one of the treatment centers listed below.

Metabolic Treatment Centers:

University of Missouri Health Care
One Hospital Drive
Columbia, MO 65212
(573) 882-6991

Children's Mercy Hospital
2401 Gillham Road
Kansas City, MO 64108
(816) 234-3290

Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital
1465 South Grand Blvd.
St. Louis, MO 63104
(314) 577-5639

St. Louis Children's Hospital
One Children's Place
St. Louis, MO 63110
(314) 454-6093

For questions regarding the Metabolic Formula Distribution Program, or to apply for services, contact: Missouri Department of Health & Senior Services, Genomics and Newborn Health at 1-800-877-6246. (Confidential fax = 573-751-6185)